

THURSDAY IS THE DAY --- LET'S BE MERRY

Christmas, 1919. The Herald wishes its thousands of readers a Merry Christmas. Portsmouth has come through the horrors of war with fewer scars, fewer heart aches and pains than most cities. She gave her best manhood and they acquitted themselves with that true spirit that has made Portsmouth men famous for centuries—to do or die. Our citizens met every call and now let's forget the dark past and look forward to bigger, brighter and better things. It is our sincere wish that a Merry Christmas will be enjoyed by all our people.

DON'T FORGET THE KIDDIES

THE WEATHER

Washington, Dec. 24.—Snow this afternoon and tonight; Thursday fair; colder on the coast; northwest winds.

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SUN AND TIDE

Standard Time.
Sun Rises..... 7:11
Sun Sets..... 4:17
Length of Day..... 9:06
High Tide..... 12:22 am, 12:31 pm
Moon Sets..... 5:40 pm
Light Automobile Lamps at 4:47 pm

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PRICE TWO CENTS

ROBBERS HOLD UP AUTO WITH \$40,000

Police on Guard Fired at Bandits and They Fled

(By Associated Press)
Bridgewater, Mass., Dec. 24.—An attempt to steal the \$40,000 payroll of the White Shoe Manufacturing Co., was frustrated today when Benjamin Howes, a police officer, guarding the money, fired on four automobile bandits who held up the automobile, killed it and then fled in their machine. The payroll was being taken in a motor truck from the Boston Truck Co. to the White Co. factory, the money being safeguarded in an iron box bolted to the floor of the truck.
The holdup took place on Broad street where the bandits car was stopped. Two men remained in the car while two others with sawed off shot guns and automatic pistols left it and ran toward the motor truck which was moving along Broad street. Shouting

SITUATION IN CAIRO IMPROVES

(By Associated Press)
Cairo, Dec. 18.—The situation here is generally improved following recent disturbances in which several persons were killed and others wounded. Demonstrations are ceasing and the students who were accused of fomenting much of the trouble are returning to the schools.

JUGO-SLAVS PROTEST TO CLEMENCEAU

(By Associated Press)
Paris, Dec. 21.—Members of the Jugo-Slav from Adriatic regions have protested to Premier Clemenceau against the reported projects of Gabriel D'Ambrasio to occupy regions of Jugo-Slavia and against what they term abuse by Italy of power conferred to her by the Allies and Americans.

COAL PRICE GOES UP IN CHICAGO

(By Associated Press)
Chicago, Dec. 24.—Coal consumers today were in receipt of statements from several fuel companies notifying them of an increase in the retail price of between 30 to 35 cents a ton on all coal mined since the settlement of the recent miners strike to make up for the 14 percent wage increase the workers gained. "This does not mean any coal will be sold at the government price," one dealer said, "but the Garfield order is not retroactive on contracts executed before. It was issued and all contracts contain a clause providing for the passing along of any increase in mining cost. Those who have no contract for coal will get it at the government price." However, most operators have their entire output sold under contract so the price increase will be pretty general.

KILLED SWEETHEART AND HIMSELF

(By Associated Press)
Fredonia, N. Y., Dec. 21.—Joseph Hucks, a recent returned soldier, today shot and killed Miss Ethel Carroll, 19 years old, and committed suicide by shooting himself. Hucks and Miss Carroll had been sweethearts for several years.

NINE INSANE PATIENTS KILLED

(By Associated Press)
Middletown, Conn., Dec. 21.—Nine men who were among the 53 insane patients accommodated in an outlying building of the Connecticut Hospital for the Insane were missing today as a result of a fire last night.

ARREST N. Y. HOTEL BURGLARS

Had Stolen \$100,000 From Guests of Hotels.

(By Associated Press)
New York, Dec. 24.—A. A. Hoer, and Raymond Rodriguez, arrested yesterday, charged with attacking and robbing Mr. and Mrs. A. Braderick of Dallas, Texas, in their suite at the Hotel Knickerbocker, were identified today, according to the police, as robbers who recently stole \$2000 from a guest at the Portland Hotel. More than 250 detectives and hotel clerks were called to view the prisoners on the theory that they might have been the burglars responsible for hotel robberies in this city recently in which more than \$100,000 has been stolen. According to the police Rodriguez has been arrested several times.

STRIKE LEADER GUILTY ON 7 COUNTS

(By Associated Press)
Winnipeg, Dec. 21.—R. B. Russell, charged with conspiracy in connection with the general strike in Winnipeg last May today was found guilty on all seven counts in the indictment returned against him. The first count in the indictment was for "sedition conspiracy," the next five were for committing overt acts and the seventh was for "committing a common nuisance."

SAFE BREAKERS ROB BANK

(By Associated Press)
Worcester, Mass., Dec. 21.—Safe breakers blew the safe in the Day State Savings Bank last night and escaped with about \$1000.

CHRISTMAS MENU

Dec. 25, 1919.

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At \$1.25 Per Plate
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DEPORTED REDS LEAVE VALUABLES

Send Wireless Power of Attorney to Lawyer.

(By Associated Press)
New York, Dec. 24.—Powers of attorney by wireless from the "Soviet Ark" Infirmary, carrying deported Russian radicals from the United States, may be the only way to arrange the return to them of property left behind with Isaac Sherry, their counsel, he announced today. Mr. Sherry holds bank books, postal savings certificates and other valuable belongings of his clients who are now on board the Infirmary.

Xmas Gifts—Mechanical toys and all kinds of dolls and teddy bears; Xmas cards, bells, wreaths, confetti and other decorations. The Portsmouth Fruit Store, across from Public Library, A. yesterday by Baron Von Lersner, head of the German mission.

SUBJECT OF GERMANY'S ATTITUDE

(By Associated Press)
Paris, Dec. 21.—The subject of Germany's attitude on the question of signing the protocol to the Peace Treaty came up in the Supreme Council at this morning's session, presided over by Premier Clemenceau. The explanation given by Paul Dutaing, general secretary of the conference of the two visits paid him Store, across from Public Library, A. yesterday by Baron Von Lersner, head of the German mission.



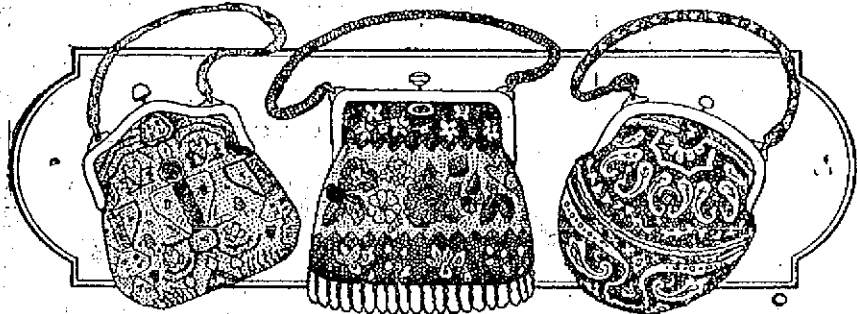
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ADMIRAL SIMS' LETTER ON NAVAL AWARDS A SENSATION

Secretary Daniels Severely Criticised For Favoritism

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Dec. 23.—Rumblings of dissatisfaction in the navy over the award of medals to officers and men for service in the war, as made up by Secretary Daniels, broke out afresh today when it became known that Admiral Sims, the commander-in-chief of the U. S. Naval forces in European waters during the war, had declined to accept the distinguished service medal, while the list remained as re-arranged by Secretary Daniels, who it has been charged re-arranged the list of awards as reported by the special board, elevating some and blue penning others. The smoldering undercurrent of feeling will be given place in Congress as Chairman Page of the Senate Naval Committee requested Secretary Daniels to give him all of the facts, which the Secretary this afternoon transmitted to the Senator.

Washington, Dec. 23.—In the six years that Josephus Daniels has been Secretary of the Navy he has never shown the signs of anxiety that he displayed today, when newspapers published a letter written by Admiral William S. Sims refusing to accept the distinguished service medal awarded him on the ground that other naval officers had been treated unjustly by the secretary in his juggling of the decorations recommended by the board of awards headed by Rear Admiral A. M. Knight, retired.

The letter by Admiral Sims, which has caused the greatest sensation in naval circles in years, was published in part by the Washington Post and the Chicago Tribune this morning. The article in the Post was copyrighted.

"The department has been pleased to award me a distinguished service medal as an expression of its appreciation of the success of the forces under my command," said the admiral, "but since the success of the forces abroad was chiefly due to the loyal and efficient services of the officers recommended for distinction, and to them belongs the credit—I am necessarily placed in a position which renders it impossible for me to accept this award under the conditions now existing."

"This becomes my duty because this list contains a number of instances of injustice to distinguished officers, the effect of which upon the morale of the service cannot fail to be very detrimental."

"The injustice lies not in the number of awards made, but in the fact that the awards are issued to officers in a number of instances are not in accordance with the relative merit of the services performed by them as indicated by my recommendations. Officers who were recommended for the high-

est awards appear on the list as having been awarded lower awards and vice versa.

"This must necessarily result in serious discontent and a sense of injustice, because there can necessarily be no better judge of the relative merits of the services of a number of officers than the responsible commanding officer of the organization in which they are serving."

Admiral Sims discussed the system of making awards for meritorious service and then continued:

"Not only were the recommendations not complied with but—and this is the gist of the matter—a number of officers in the command whose services were relatively of less importance and much less in responsibility were awarded the highest awards."

The copyrighted article in the Post says:

"After pointing out striking examples of injustice involved in Secretary Daniels' juggling the awards of the Naval Board, headed by Rear Admiral Austin M. Knight, U. S. N., retired, Admiral Sims says the situation is strikingly illustrated by the award of the Distinguished Service Medal to a considerable number of officers in positions of very little responsibility, while four of the nine rear admirals under my command, whom I recommended for Distinguished Service Medals, in recognition of having borne their heavy responsibilities with conspicuous success, were awarded the lower award of the Navy Cross."

"These instances are so typical of the conditions in this respect throughout all branches of the command that further examples are unnecessary. But I feel impelled to invite attention to a special class of awards which are the subject of such service condemnation and ridicule that the effect upon the present and future morale of the service must necessarily be deplorable in the last degree, namely, the Distinguished Service Medal awarded to many, if not all, of the officers who were decorated in action, or whose ships were sunk or seriously damaged by enemy submarines."

"This paragraph fearlessly calling Mr. Daniels' attention to the ridicule he has invited by his action refers in part at least to the bestowal of the Distinguished Service Medal by Mr. Daniels on his own brother-in-law, Commander Worth Bagley, who lost his ship in combat with a submarine, and Commander Percy W. Foote, Mr. Daniels' aid, who was in command of the armed guard of a transport which went down before a U-boat."

"In the case of destroyers or other vessels that were successfully attacked by German submarines," Admiral Sims continues, "no special distinc-

tions were recommended in my reports. These are typical examples not only of unsuccessful actions, but of failure to figure the enemy. By reason of the peculiar nature of the submarine warfare, no blame necessarily attaches to the commanding officers of these vessels for their failures, but on no account should they receive a special award for their lack of success.

"Even the assumption that subsequent to their failures they handled the situation well is, of course, no reason why they should be rewarded. To do so is to reverse the policy of our Navy and of all other navies, and thus establish a precedent that might well seriously undermine the fighting efficiency of the whole organization."

Admiral Sims appeals to the Navy Department adequately to recognize the services of distinguished officers, which have received awards inferior to those which have been accorded less deserving officers of my late command.

M'CALL DECLINES JUDGESHIP

(By Associated Press)

Boston, Dec. 23.—Former Governor Samuel M'Call today declined the appointment of Governor Coolidge as Judge of the Probate court of Middlesex county. In his letter to the governor Mr. M'Call said that he could not accept as it would limit his activities at a critical time and interfere with his given political counsel, which his somewhat long experience led him to believe was not presumption.

CLEMENCEAU GIVES VOTE OF CONFIDENCE

(By Associated Press)

Paris, Dec. 23.—The Chamber of Deputies today gave a vote of confidence to the government by a vote of 153 to 71. The vote approved the report and outline of work by Premier Clemenceau.

TAKE ACTION TO END STRIKE

(By Associated Press)

Indianapolis, Dec. 23.—A call for a meeting of the executive board of the Kansas district of United Mine Workers of the Central district, has been called for Friday at which time action to end the strike of 1900 miners will be considered.

Alexander Howatt, the president of the District called the meeting before leaving for his home, after his release from jail, where he had been placed yesterday by Judge Anderson, after a preliminary hearing on the strike situation.



TO DIG OUT RADICALS AND ANARCHISTS

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Dec. 23.—Institution early next month of a general congressional investigation of the radical activities in this country, is assured by the leaders of both the House and Senate. Chairman Johnson of the House immigration committee said that plans were being made to take up the investigation at the eastern resorts soon after the holidays. Chairman Johnson incidentally said that there were many radicals under arrest in western jails who were waiting to follow Alexander Berkman and Emma Goldman anarchists with the 219 others who were deported last Sunday.

To conduct the investigation of Ludwig Martens Ambassador from Soviet Russia, voted by the Senate before adjournment for the holidays. Senator Lodge has appointed a subcommittee headed by Senator G. H. McMea of New Hampshire to make the investigation which will begin as soon as the holiday recess is over.

OPERATORS WILL ABIDE BY AWARD

(By Associated Press)

Terra Haute, Ind., Dec. 23.—In a statement denying the allegation that the coal operators had changed their position on the tentative agreement for the settlement of the soft coal strike or had given anybody authority to speak for them, Phil A. Tenney spokesman for the operators in their wage-scale negotiations, said that there was no ground for the belief that the operators would not accept the award made by the commission appointed by the president.

LAST OF BODIES RECOVERED FROM TRAIN WRECK

(By Associated Press)

Omaha, Mo., Dec. 23.—The last of the bodies in the wreck of the immigrant train, which was in collision with a freight train on the Canadian and Pacific road near Bedford siding on Sunday, was recovered today when the body of Engineer William Bagley of Brownsville Junction was found. All are now accounted for and the fifty odd wounded will recover. The wreckage is being cleared away and burned.

MASSACHUSETTS LEGISLATURE ADJOURNS

(By Associated Press)

Boston, Dec. 23.—The special session of the legislature called principally to consider street railroad conditions was adjourned tonight. Several acts pertaining to the street railways were passed including the removal of the sales tax, in addition to considerable other business. The regular session of the legislature will begin on January 5th.

GAINS HER RELEASE FROM BELLEVUE

(By Associated Press)

New York, Dec. 23.—Miss Elizabeth Boyle O'Reilly daughter of John Boyle O'Reilly the late poet, today won her court case to prevent her being sent back to the observation ward at the Bellevue hospital. She was placed there after her escape from a private hospital in Newton. Her writ of Habeas Corpus has been made permanent by the court.

P. O. DOES BIG XMAS BUSINESS

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Dec. 23.—Reports to the Post Office Department in the past few days showed that the Christmas mail is twenty-five per cent greater than last year which was the greatest in the history of the Post Office department.

At a meeting in New York of women agents of one of our largest insurance companies, six women were present who had sold from \$100,000 to \$200,000 of life insurance during the year.

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SEN. MOSES HEADS RADICAL INVESTIGATIONS

Washington, Dec. 23.—Chairman Lodge of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee today directed Senator Moses, Republican New Hampshire, as head of a sub-committee to conduct the investigation of Russian propaganda and activities of Ludwig C. A. K. Murens, self-styled ambassador to the United States from Soviet Russia. Hearings are expected to begin next month. Other members are Senators Borah, Idaho, and Knox, Pennsylvania, Republicans, and Pennington, Ohio, and Hodge, Tennessee, Democrats.

THE DEBT OF UNITED KINGDOM

London, Dec. 23.—A Parliamentary white paper shows that the public debt of the United Kingdom has increased £157,10 millions for each person since the beginning of the war. The increase in other countries is given as follows: Germany £123; France £114; Austria-Hungary £85; Belgium £74; Italy £74; United States £55; Japan three shillings, two and one-half pence.

217; Paris, 203; other French towns, 293; Italy 231; United States 181; Sweden 336.

Expansion in currency as compared with 1913 shows the following increases: United Kingdom 241; Italy 140; France, 305; United States 173.

Don't pass the Salvation Army kettles by. This organization stands for all that is good in religion. It forgoes self and does for others. Help it in its effort to bring Christmas cheer to the poor and needy.

DENY CITY GOES WET FOR FIRST TIME

Somerville, Mass., Dec. 23.—Somerville today voted for a license sale of liquor by a vote of 2777 to 2301. It was the first time since the local option law went into effect that this city has ever voted for license.

MEMBERSHIP NOW OPEN IN Piscataqua Thrift Club

50. WEEKLY PAYMENTS
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Portsmouth, N. H., Wednesday, December 24, 1919.

A New Party Talked Of.

At a conference of so-called liberals lately held in St. Louis it was contended that a new political party is necessary to do away with the troubles that are afflicting the country and bring it back to a normal basis, and it was intimated that such a party will be formed in time for participation in the next presidential campaign.

It was asserted that the dissolution of monopolies is the only solution of the economic and industrial problems facing the nation. The steel, beef, oil, mining and coal trusts were vigorously assailed. The claim was made that these trusts by monopolizing patents and the railroads prevent other business men from competing with them. Just how they manage to monopolize the railroads was not explained. Perhaps no explanation was needed by those present, though others might have some curiosity in that direction. Government ownership of public utilities was recommended as an auxiliary means of breaking up the trusts.

There is no doubt that the country is suffering to a considerable extent from trusts and monopolies, but whether the creation of a new political party is the remedy may be questioned. New parties usually have to wait for some time before coming into power, and if the country is to be relieved of the evils complained of it wants help now.

But if this is to come through political parties it will strike the average man that there are parties enough already. Aside from the two great leading organizations there are parties representing about all the whims afloat, yet if there are those who feel that another is necessary the field is open and there is nothing to prevent them from opening a fold for such as are unable to find congenial shelter under the wings of the various aggregations that are clamoring for recognition and support.

But neither this "new party" contingent nor anybody else should forget that the old parties have the highest respect for public sentiment, and that when the people make their wishes known in an unmistakable way, their will is obeyed without question.

One trouble is that there are, many times, so many divergent views that party leaders are at a loss as to the course they should pursue. When there is an undoubted public demand the response is never wanting on the part of those who have been chosen to carry out the will of the people, and that response is in accordance with the people's will.

Because of these facts it would seem wiser to endeavor to concentrate public opinion on such reforms as are needed and prepare for a mass movement than it would be to found a new party to further divide the forces that ought to stand together, and which must stand and act together if the highest good is to be attained through legislation.

This matter of reform is very largely in the people's hands. In fact, the power is all there, and when it is judiciously used it never fails to produce the desired results. If, in face of these very simple facts, it should be deemed wise to launch a new political party at this time the field will be found open and the new-comer will have every right to enter the ring and take its chances.

The ice harvest has been begun in various parts of New England and the work is being rushed. The ice is not yet quite as thick as could be desired, but the dealers feel that it is best not to take chances by waiting, notwithstanding the fact that the ice crop is one that seldom fails in this part of the country.

The bird lovers have reminded us, if we were not already conscious of the fact, that the time is at hand when it is merciful to feed the birds, which have a hard enough time to find food during the winter even when an occasional handful of crumbs is thrown from the back door.

Victor C. Berger of Milwaukee, who was refused a seat in the House of Representatives because of alleged unpatriotic acts during the war, has been triumphantly re-elected by his district. It is clear that he is in good standing at home, but the chances are that the district has simply invited another throw-down.

Being Lord Lieutenant of Ireland is not the most inviting position in the world under present conditions, as Viscount French now clearly understands, although he escaped unscathed from the murderous attack made upon him a few days ago. But with the true grit of an Irishman he will stay "on the job."

The fishing interests have discovered that there is a good market for their products in the Middle West and an effort is to be made to develop it. With refrigerator cars and refrigerating weather there is no reason why the project should not be perfectly practicable.

By an agreement reached between the government and the packers the latter are hereafter to "mind their own business." But whether this will do anything toward reducing the cost of living remains to be demonstrated.

The coal situation is looking much better and the indications are that New England will be adequately provided for from this time on.

SENATOR MOSES MEETS PARTY LEADERS

Gives Out Statement on General Woods Candidacy.

Concord, Dec. 24.—United States Senator George H. Moses, who arrived Monday evening from Washington to spend the Christmas holiday at his home here, Tuesday met many prominent members of the Republican party and discussed politics at home at the national capital.

Senator Moses was meeting all of his callers Tuesday with the statement that he is thoroughly satisfied New Hampshire Republicans are for Gen. Leonard Wood for President. In conversation with a representative, Senator Moses said, referring to the movement to nominate General Wood: "It would be politically criminal for New Hampshire to send a delegation to the Republican national convention which was not pledged to General Wood."

Mr. Moses will be unable to spend the entire holiday season in the state, as he is to leave New Hampshire the first day of the month for Atlanta, Ga., to attend the first of a series of hearings before a commission named to re-organize the postal service. He is a member of the commission which is to visit New Orleans, Memphis and Kansas City, following the meeting in Atlanta on Jan. 3.

The senator said that aside from such statements as he had made for publication concerning General Wood, he had taken the opportunity to tell every constituent who had visited him in Washington that there should not be entertained any proposition of sending a delegation of unpledged men from New Hampshire to the Republican national convention. He said that he had been supported in this position by most of the men with whom he had talked.

In discussing the Wood movement, Senator Moses said: "The movement is well organized, and since the first essential publicly given it by the Manchester Union, it has steadily spread. I am heart and soul in this matter, and before leaving Washington I had within the past three days, I have had conferences with party workers who come from South Carolina, Maryland and Virginia regarding plans for the election of pledged delegations from those states for General Wood."

Senator Moses said that he had heard himself mentioned as a delegate at-large from New Hampshire, but that he was neither a candidate nor an aspirant for such an honor. He said that his only interest in the personnel of the Granite state delegation to the national convention was to insure that every candidate for such honor at the hands of the party make a declaration of his intention to support the candidacy of General Wood. Referring to the outlook, Senator Moses said: "There is nothing to it, but Republican success."

The senator said that he realized the people are demanding that there be some action taken on the peace treaty and that when the Senate convenes after the holidays such action may be soon expected. He said that the Lodge reservations or the Knox reservation would doubtless be the final solution of the situation.

In discussing various phases of governmental affairs, Senator Moses said that the inability of President Wilson to attend to his executive duties was becoming embarrassing to many departments, especially to the state department, where the failure of the President to sign consular commissions about 2,500 men are unable to take up their work, for lack of authority and for lack of funds. He also pointed out that several ambassadors from foreign countries, unable to present their letters of credence because of their inability to see the President, are preparing to leave this country until such time as they may be permitted to meet the nation's executive.

NAVY YARD NOTES

They Are Sister Ships
Submarine S-16, the largest in the United States navy was launched from the yard at the Lake Torpedo Boat Company at Bridgeport on Tuesday. The S-16 has a cruising radius of 12,000 miles, is 220 feet long, will have a speed of 12 knots submerged and 16 knots on the surface. A crew of fifty men will man it.—Boston Post.

If this is the largest in the country, then the S-6 launched at the Portsmouth navy yard on Tuesday is also the largest. The S-16 is identical with the S-6, in fact, the plans for the S-16 were all made at the Portsmouth yard and there is no difference in the two boats.

Big Day for Children
Admiral Hugh Rodman, commander in chief of the Pacific fleet, following the custom he inaugurated when in command of ships on the Atlantic coast and in the North Sea, suggested today that the battleships at San Pedro entertain children on board Christmas day by giving them a dinner and

present. Four battleships in the harbor will entertain 800 children.

British Gob Wants to Join American Navy

Here is a British gob who wants to join the American navy and he writes the navy department as follows:

"I am very anxious to throw in my lot with your splendid navy. Now, is this possible, observing that I have completed 11 years in the British navy, the last five in the North Sea; in a destroyer and many a time had the honor of escorting your fine 6th battle squadron to sea. The question is, is it really necessary for me to be naturalized in your country first? Surely we who have fought and endured hardships side by side cannot want anything more natural than this. Perhaps you can tell me what particular failing would suit me, observing that I am a 'leading signman', 28 years of age, abilities as assessed during the war 'exceptional'; character, 'very good'. Can also furnish recommendations from late captains."

The fact that an experienced seaman well established in a foreign service wishes to enter our navy thus losing the value of his 11 years service with its attendant increases of pay, is a wonderful tribute to our navy's watchword "opportunity." As the policy of the navy department is to enlist only American citizens this request could not be granted.

H. C. L. Nothing to Marines

Boiled turtle eggs are a novelty which have been added to the mess of the U. S. Marines on station at the naval station, Guantanamo Bay. Two 200-pound turtles were captured recently by marines while sailing in a small boat on the bay. When they were killed more than 100 eggs were found in each. The egg of the turtle which removed from the body has a soft shell. The egg itself is about the size of a hen's egg. The inside resembles in taste and appearance the yolk of a hen's egg. The eggs are boiled hard and the shell is peeled off before the outer shell of an onion.

Christmas Program

The Christmas program for the men's reading room on Thursday night will be the following: Benger and Taylor, singing, talking and dancing act; Hazeltine and Dogs, a very neat animal act; Henry Myers, black-face comedian; Bob and Mac, comedy singing act; Billy Reno, character artist; Williams and Olive Eadie, violin, piano and singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus promise to arrive at 7 o'clock, weather and other circumstances permitting.

New Hospital Ship

The United States hospital ship *Recluse*, believed to be the first of its kind ever constructed for that purpose, was launched at the Philadelphia navy yard Tuesday.

Greetings from Gen. Manager
Captain L. S. Adams, general manager of the yard industrial department issued a bulletin for the employees of the yard today in which he extended the greetings of the season.

Twenty More Gone

Twenty more men from the minesweepers *Osprey* and *Lark* were discharged from the service today on the receiving ship *Southerly*.

Show for Visitors

The prisoners of the Welfare League at the naval prison will produce one of their new shows entitled "Peace and Quiet" for the benefit of the visitors at the picnic on Christmas afternoon. Later the same show will be given in Portsmouth.

Police Notified

The local police have been notified of the escape of Walter Sharp, a chief housewife's mate from the naval prison on Sunday last. The notification is accompanied by a description of the missing man and the usual \$50 reward.

Sends Out Greetings

Rear Admiral H. O. Dunn, commanding the First Naval District, sent out holiday greetings to the navy personnel of the several stations and ships in the district today. He also extended his thanks for the cooperation of the officers and men in their work for the past year in this branch of the service.

BREAK INTO THE SUMMER HOMES AT ROLLINS FARM

Three Cottages Ransacked Along the River Bank.

Several cottages along the river front at Rollins Farm were discovered as having been broken into, likely by boys who didn't carry away much property, but ransacked the rooms in such place after forcing an entrance through windows. The most damage was reported at the summer homes of John Yarwood, Henry P. Payne and Charles Fernald. The owners of the cottages are out to stop this work and to bring the guilty parties into court. The county authorities are at work in the case and arrests may follow shortly.

Other camps along the river in other sections are also reported as having been entered.

The Herald is obliged to omit some of its usual features today owing to the extra tax on its advertising space.

PEOPLE'S OPINIONS

Birthday of Christ

December 25, or the return of the winter solstice, has been celebrated as the birthday of Jesus from early times. It was observed either as the birthday or as a special religious holiday for the ancient Greek, Roman and Egyptian sun gods long before the Christian era. It was first celebrated as the birthday of Christ about the year 350, in Rome. King Constantine I and many of his people had been converted from their sun worshipping belief to Christianity. They decided that in order to impress other people with the reality of the existence of Christ that some day should be observed as His birthday. What was more natural than that they should select the same day on which they had celebrated the birth of their old gods as the proper one to observe as the birthday of their new God? That is just what they did. They completely ignored the Bible in making their choice, for Luke 11-8 tells of the shepherds leading their flocks in the fields at the time Christ was born. That fact would point to any other season except mid-winter. Previous to the selection of December 25 the birth of Christ had been observed in some countries in April and in others in May.

It is surprising how many people think that Christ was born on Dec. 25, when as a matter of fact the actual date of His birth is not known. There is no good reason why the facts of the case should not be well known.

INQUIRER
Cutter.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Catherine E. Corey
The death of Mrs. Catherine E. Corey, wife of James A. Corey, occurred this forenoon at her home, 431 Middle street after a lingering illness at the age of 75 years.

Mrs. Corey was the daughter of the late Peter Curwain of Salem, Mass., and passed her girlhood in that city. She was united in marriage to James A. Corey of young age and soon after marriage the couple came to this city to live. Mr. Corey having a position with the Boston & Maine railroad and was one of the oldest engineers in that road in point of years of service. Mrs. Corey was a lady of gentle and kindly nature, devoted to her home and family and ever ready with the sympathetic word or to avoid herself of the opportunity to do a kindly act for others in need. She was a kind neighbor and her pleasant disposition made for her many friends who will mourn her death with regret.

She is survived by her husband, a daughter, Miss Gertrude Corey, a son, J. B. Corey of this city, and two grandchildren who reside in New York.

ROCHESTER TO HAVE BIG POULTRY SHOW.

Breeders of choice poultry in this section are looking forward with very much interest to the first annual poultry show to be given by the Rochester Poultry Association incorporated in the state on North Main street, Rochester, N. H., formerly occupied by Allen & Hanson, shoe dealers, and opposite the Federal building. Early indications predict a very large entry as many of the large breeders in all parts of this state and Maine as well have signified their intentions of entering birds of choice breeds. The association consists of well known breeders in that section and for their first show they are offering an attractive lot of prizes which includes money consideration as well. The dates that have been selected are Dec. 30, 31, Jan. 1 and 2.

ODD ITEMS FROM EVERYWHERE GAMBLING IN MEXICO

Juarez, Mex., Dec. 23.—Gambling is

CHRISTMAS DINNER

NEW China Restaurant

\$1.25 Per Plate
Served from 12 to 4 P. M.
Soups
Consomme or Mock Turtle
Queen Olives
Chicken a la King
Roast Young Vermont Turkey,
Cranberry Sauce,
Vegetables
French Fried or Mashed Potatoes
Asparagus Tips
Dessert.
Ice Cream and Cake or
Apple, Pineapple, Mince, Raisin Pie
Tea or Coffee.

EX-KAISER INDICTED, REPORT IN LONDON

London, Dec. 24.—Law officers of the Crown held a consultation with French and Belgian law officers Tuesday with regard to the former German Emperor.

It is reported that the conference made out a case against the former German ruler and framed an indictment.

The Hague, Dec. 24.—The statement published in the *Sole of Brussels*, to the effect that the Netherlands Government has unofficially informed the Allies that the Dutch Government will not surrender the former German Emperor if extradition is demanded, is not true, says the semi-official Netherlands Correspondent Bureau. The bureau adds that no action has been taken in the matter.

ATLANTIC HEIGHTS

Chief of Police Thompson, who has been ill for several weeks, is now able to be about and is on the road to recovery.

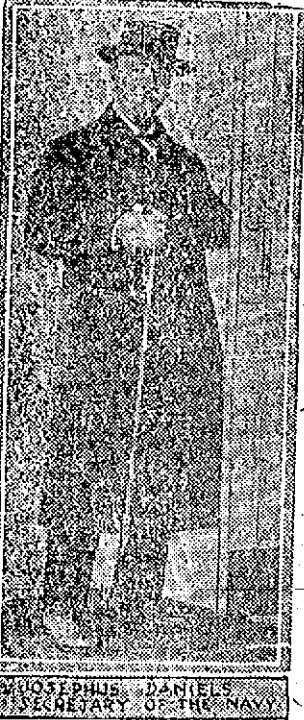
Many of the men are leaving today to spend the holiday at their homes in other cities.

LAST MOMENTS

Dennett & McCarthy are well prepared to serve those who have not decided till now. Plenty of good quality gifts left such as Table Covers, Hand Bags, Blankets, Rompers, Stockings, Waists, Umbrellas, House Dresses, Hdkfs, Neckwear and many things you'll like to see. Get suited at Dennett & McCarthy's.

There will be five Sundays in 1920, next year, for the last time until 1948. Some of the schoolboys in the vicinity of Saranac Lake are making as much as \$65 a week by trapping in their spare time, for the prices paid for skins this year are unprecedented. The professional trappers are making from \$300 to \$500 a week.

What Better Christmas Present for the friend or relative away from home than a subscription to Portsmouth's great daily, —The Herald?



The Sims-Daniels Controversy

Secretary Daniels may be depended upon to make a vigorous reply to Admiral Sims' charges. His friends believe he will justify his acts.

The national curse of Mexico, according to General Marcelino Murrieta, collector of customs at this port. "If Americans who come over to Juarez get the idea that all Mexico is like this, we have no one to blame but ourselves," said General Murrieta recently. "Today Juarez is scarcely more than a cluster of saloons and gambling houses."

BIRTHS.

A daughter was born on Dec. 18 at the Portsmouth Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Herman P. Wilson.

A son was born on Dec. 20 to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Warren Winn.

Two Filipino boys, Simplicio and Lucia Lodina, 13 years old, are now in New York on their way to a western hospital to have severed the bond of flesh that united them to the Siamese twins. Their bodies are connected just behind the shoulders, but they manage to walk without difficulty and the only precaution they have to take is to get chairs without arms, so that they can sit side by side. They carry with them a specially made bed, so that they can sleep comfortably.

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And Myself
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And a
HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR.
H. A. PERHAM
Manager Olympia Theatre.

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STATIONERY, CAMERAS, PERFUMES,
PERFUME MIZERS,
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MANICURE SETS,
THERMOS BOTTLES,
SHAVING MIRRORS, SAFETY RAZORS,
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22 x 3 1/2	26.20	19.65
24 x 3 1/2	30.25	22.69
31 x 4	35.00	26.25
32 x 4	35.65	26.64
33 x 4	37.40	28.05
34 x 4	38.40	29.80
35 x 4	40.75	30.57
36 x 4	41.50	30.88
32 x 4 1/2	48.50	36.38
33 x 4 1/2	50.00	37.57
34 x 4 1/2	51.10	38.34
35 x 4 1/2	53.40	40.05
36 x 4 1/2	54.15	40.62
35 x 5	60.95	45.71
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PORTSMOUTH BOY TO CAPTAIN NAVY AGAIN

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 24.—For the second year, Midshipman Edward C. Ewen of Portsmouth, N. H., will lead the Naval Academy football team, having been named by those who took part in the defeat of the Army at New York last month.

It is believed that such an honor has only been bestowed on one other occasion in the history of the academy. Ewen has played right end on the team for two years, and has been a member of the squad for an extra year. He was a third classman last year and would have graduated this June had the war continued. On the division of the class to restore the four-year course Ewen was assigned to the position graduating in 1921, so will have another year of football.

THE HERALD HEARS

That burglars are now keeping the police of Somersworth busy.

That the record of votes at Newburyport shows that Mayor Page was re-elected by a majority of 18.

That the hot carriers at Portland want more money.

That for tending plasterers they ask \$3 cents per hour; tending bricklayers with brick, mortar or concrete, 75 cents an hour; excavation, 65 cents an hour.

That any work performed from 7 a. m. to 8 a. m. and 5 p. m. to 7 p. m. will be counted as time and one-half. Sundays, holidays and all night work will be regarded as double time. All car fare demanded beyond city limits.

That the weather man is tabulating the skating.

That the Portsmouth Yacht club has given up the plans for a Christmas tree to be substituted by something different for entertainment at a later date.

That the new councilmen-elect are now getting the buttonhole holiday.

That the Portsmouth hospital received many holiday gifts today, as did the Old Ladies' Home.

That when a rich man is seriously ill he gets a lot of people standing around waiting for his old shoes.

That the navy officers are finding rich reading in the Daniels-Sims controversy.

That the sugar situation is not pleasing to the U. B. club.

That a midnight service will be held at St. John's church tonight.

That the Hockingham County Light and Power Company have found some relief in the coal supply.

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of cigarettes and tobacco stolen from the Boston and Maine freight cars at Penobscot by hucksters had all been sold by the railroad guardmen when their arrest came.

That three others who made the purchase of the stolen property have also been placed under arrest.

That a local woman who formerly lived in Methuen, Mass., claims she was a member of the fire department in that town and knows a thing or two about battling the flames.

"Y" GIVES CHEER TO PRISONERS

The War Work Y. M. C. A. is to do its part to have the men at the naval prison have plenty of cheer at the Christmas season. Not only is it to put on a big six act program by the "Y" on Christmas night, but it has provided goodies and gifts for the Christmas tree celebration which is held there for the men this evening. This organization has provided 600 oranges, 200 pounds of nuts, for the prisoners and also a half pound box of chocolates for each man. On the tree will be placed a Christmas box for each of the gift of the War Work Y. M. C. A. this box will contain a tube of tooth paste, soap, a half pound of hard candy, three cakes of chocolate, lemon drops, and three packages of cigarettes.

The program provided by the War Work Y. M. C. A. on Christmas night at the "Y" is such that it will be especially pleasing to the men at the prison. It will include hunger and Thelma in songs, talks and dances; Hazelton and Dugan, an amateur act; Henry Myers, black face comedian; "Bob and Mac" in comedy singing act; Little Reno, character artist, the William Diddle Olive Duo in songs, violin and piano selections.

Every effort is being made that Christmas will bring cheer to the men and they are eagerly anticipating the festivities.

PERSONALS

John B. Pickering of Boston is home for the holiday.

Col. John Pender leaves this week for Miami, Fla., for a stay.

Alfred Watson will pass Christmas at his home at Arlington Heights.

Mrs. M. T. Broderick and son William are passing the holiday in Lowell.

Miss K. P. Macdon who has been here for some time has returned to Boston.

John K. Bates has returned from a business trip to New York and Philadelphia.

Miss Grace M. Kenyon of Revere, Mass., formerly of this city, is visiting in town.

Edward J. Proehl has gone to New York to pass Christmas at the home of his mother.

Mrs. John H. Knox of New York, son and wife, are visiting relatives here over the holiday.

Miss Sarah McCarthy of Boston is visiting her brother George McCarthy and family of Wilbur street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wallace Lear will pass the holiday in Beverly, Mass., on the guest of his sister, Mrs. A. C. Lear.

Mrs. Ralph H. Knox and son, John of New York, have arrived to pass the holiday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ira A. Newell.

Philip Hayes, a student at New Hampshire College, is passing the holiday vacation at his home, Marsh View Farm at the Plains.

Lieut. G. M. Furey, U. S. M. C., who has been on duty at the navy yard, sails with Mrs. Furey on January 5 for the Philippines, he having been assigned to duty at Olongapo.

Miss Ruth A. Yeaton, daughter of Hon. and Mrs. H. B. Yeaton, has arrived home from Ithaca, N. Y., where she is taking a post-graduate course at Cornell University, having resigned her position on the teaching staff of Vassar College.

Lieut. Chester L. Conlon, U. S. A., who arrived from Texas two weeks ago to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William L. Conlon of Middle street, leaves on Friday for San Francisco, Cal., from where he sails on Jan. 5 for the Philippine Islands where he is assigned duty.

CHRISTMAS SPIRIT OF GOOD CHEER

The Methodist parish is among other organizations of this city that is giving Christmas cheer and a committee of workers from that society has been "going about doing good." The church has provided a large quantity of home made candy, stuffed figs and dates, also nuts for the men at the naval hospital and provided pop corn and cranberries to decorate its hospital Christmas tree. The church has also donated home cooked goodies for the men at the naval prison. The Epworth League society of the church is to send flowers to the shut-ins of the church and the Girls' Service Club of the parish has provided a Christmas basket dinner and presents to a worthy needy family.

FOR SALE—Live hens, forty cents per pound. Apply to John T. Chamberlain, 19 1-2 Water street.

PUBLISHERS IN CAIRO WARNED

(By Associated Press)
Cairo, Dec. 18.—Owners and editors of newspapers were today given official warning to refrain from printing matter likely to excite the public. Recent demonstrations and attempts at assassinations were largely attributable, the warning said, to certain newspapers. The newspaper men are assured there is no intention to stop the printing of reasonable criticism and are advised to submit doubtful matter to the censor before publication.

CATHOLIC CHURCH MUSICAL OFFERINGS FOR CHRISTMAS DAY

The feast of Christmas will be fittingly observed at the Church of the Immaculate Conception beginning with the mass at midnight. The other masses are 7 a. m., 8 a. m., 9 a. m., and 10:30 a. m. Solemn vesters will be sung at 5 p. m. At the solemn high mass at 10:30 the celebrant will be Rev. Thomas Francis Hogan who was ordained in the priesthood at St. James Cathedral, Montreal, on Saturday, Dec. 20.

The musical offerings of the day will be the following:

Midnight Mass
Organ prelude.
Mass in Honor of St. Louis, La. Marche
Offertory—Adeste Fideles....Novello
Organ prelude.

Children's Mass
Prelude.....Haydn
The Angel's Song.....Nelle
Adeste Fideles.....Traditional
O Lovely Infant.....Webster
Communion.....Liszt
Calm on the Listening Ear of a Night.....Adt

Solemn High Mass
Special parts are to be sung by Paul Kirwan, Philip Scott, Joseph Archie, Charles Hurley, John McCann, Bernard Pabst, Robert Lynskey, Edward Newell, Gertrude Woods, Mary Crowley, Gertrude Hurling, Francis Loughlin, Catherine Quirk, Catherine Hurley, Alice Hickey, Martin Hurling, Elizabeth Walsh and Agnes O'Neil.

Organ prelude.
"Mass in Honor of Our Lady of Good Council".....Hannemann
Kyrie.
Gloria.
Veni Creator.....Debussy
Credo.
Offertory—Adeste Fideles....Novello
Sanctus.
Benedictus.
Communion—O Dies Paeneclara.....Gounod

Agnes Del.
Postlude.
Solemn, Vespers, 5 p. m.
Benedictus.....Welgand
Dixie, Dominus.....Welgand
Confitebor.....Welgand
Laudate Dominum.....Welgand
Adeste Fideles.....Novello
Magnificat.
Agnus Redemptoris.....Hannemann
Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.
O Salutaris.
Tantum Ergo.
Laudate Dominum.....La Jent

SAID TO HAVE IMPLICATED POLICEMEN IN FUR THEFTS

New York, Dec. 23.—Two more ar-

rests of the band of burglars, who, according to District Attorney Lewis of Brooklyn, acted in concert with collectors in robberies aggregating thousands of dollars were made last night. Timothy Mara and Owen McCullen, captured on arrival from South Carolina and wanted for complicity in a \$30,000 safe robbery in a Sheffield Farms Company store in Manhattan December 1 are said by detectives to have implicated Policemen Herbert Krause and Peter Rueger, at present under indictment in the recent theft of furs valued at \$15,000 from a Brooklyn firm.

Nowhere in the whole of his empire in Christmas Day more happily spent than by King George and Queen Mary at Sandringham, and nowhere is Yuletide hospitality more hearty, simple and genial. It is the one day of the year on which his Majesty can escape the ceremonial and cares of his high position and lapse into the role of an English country gentleman, entertaining his guests in his own home without the formality of Court life and the daily round of his kingly duties.

Washington, Dec. 24.—General Pershing's tour of inspection of military posts in the far west and along the Mexican border will end the middle of February according to official program made public today. On his return to Washington General Pershing will prepare from data assembled during his trip a report for Secretary Baker containing his recommendations as to camps, posts or depots, which should be retained permanently for use in future military emergencies.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The funeral services of Mrs. Susan E. Dunley will be held from her late home in Greenland Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited.

PERSHING'S TOUR OF INSPECTION ENDS FEB. 15

(By Associated Press)

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"DAY OF REST"
Parsons' Comedy

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Pauline Fredericks in
"BONDS OF LOVE"

PEGGY HYLAND IN
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Continuous Performance Christmas Day, 2 until 10.

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Ribbon Candies.....2 Lb. Boxes, 83c

Fancy Boxes Chocolates.....49c up

Mixed Chocolates, regular 70c lb., only.....55c lb.

California Soft Walnuts.....45c lb.

Fresh Dates.....28c lb.

Smyrna Figs.....50c lb.

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EVELYN GREELEY IN

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A GREEN CHRISTMAS PROMISED

There is apparently every indication of a green Christmas. The temperature moderated with the shifting of the wind to the south on Tuesday and while it was pleasant during the day the fog rolled in at night and it was thick and disagreeable.

There was no let up in the rush of Christmas business and every merchant in town state that it has been a banner year. The great trouble has been to get goods. Some of the stocks were large, but it has been found impossible to replace the goods. It is the common remark from the merchants to customers, calling for certain articles, "We haven't any and are unable to get any from the wholesale houses." The fact that prices are so high on about everything does not appear to interfere with the business.

CHRISTMAS IN THE CHURCHES

Christmas services will be held at the Church of the Immaculate Conception and the St. John's and the Christ Episcopal churches tomorrow. At the Church of the Immaculate Conception is one of the main festivals of the year. High mass will be sung at midnight tonight and the masses during the day will be 7, 8, 9 and 10:30, with vesper at 5 o'clock in the afternoon. Tonight there will be a community

sing on the Square around a Christmas tree that will be placed in position this forenoon and lighted with electric lights.

At the Navy Yard in the naval hospital at the barracks and on each ship in commission there will be celebrations and the Naval Prisoners will be given their usual elaborate entertainment and given more extensive perhaps than given to the men in active service on the ships.

TWO AVIATORS DIE IN 2000 FOOT FALL

Riverside, Cal., Dec. 21.—Second Lieut. Herbert Tichborne of Mount Vernon, N. Y., and private Alister Lima of San Luis Obispo, Cal., were killed Tuesday at March Field, the army aviation field near here when their airplane fell 2000 feet.

MILK NOTICE

Owing to the increased cost of producing and distributing milk during the last fourteen months we find it necessary to advance the price to the consumer. A careful system of farm accounts has revealed such a serious loss during the last two months that we must advance the price or go out of the dairy business. Beginning Jan. 1, 1920, milk from Cold Spring Farm will be 16 cts. per qt. As long as we continue in the dairy business we shall maintain the high standard that has always characterized our products. CHAS. H. BRACKETT.

TO PLAY SANTA CLAUS TO THE POOR

The poor of the city will not be overlooked during the Christmas festival. The Portsmouth Lodge of Elks with its usual generosity is taking care of many families, and the Salvation Army is also doing considerable work along this line.

The Organized Charities has also sent out cheer to many Miss Sheldon and her assistant Mrs. Ham have been busy for some days getting Santa Claus stockings ready for the little folks happy.

There is no over hipping or conflict as the Elks, Salvation Army and the Organized Charities, all lists are carefully gone over and they work together. The result is that more people are taken care of and no duplications.

LOOKING THEM OVER WITH the SPORT FAN

Henry Cragen, manager of the Portsmouth professional team, announces that his team will probably play the first Springfield, Vt., five at Freeman's hall Jan. 8. The Springfield team is under the management of Bobby Vance, one of the best known professional basketball players in the east. Many of the fans will remember Vance, he having played here some years ago with Bill Gray's Portsmouth team in the old New England basketball league. Vance has kept steadily in the game since that time and has played with about all the crack teams of the country, including the famous Glensville, N. Y. outfit. The Springfield team has not been trimmed so far this season and while on their trip through New Hampshire, besides playing Portsmouth, will tackle Dover, Rochester and Franklin. Manager Cragen is making preparations for the game in Freeman's hall and says he intends that the game shall be played under strictly professional rules and will do away with the backboards behind the baskets. Those who saw the Portsmouth team trim the Granite State A. A., say that Vance and his youngsters have got to show considerable speed to be in the long end of the score.

The Rockingham A. C. is providing splendid attractions for the sporting fans. Many of those who attended the Klondike Parrell wrestling match which the club staged are still talking about it. The boxing bout Monday evening proved to be a decided success and those who were fortunate enough to be present saw the best boxing show staged in Portsmouth in recent years. The club has promoted four good boxing shows this season and the matchmaker has announced that the next card which will be held on Wednesday evening, January 7, will be up to the usual high standard maintained by this club. The Rockingham A. C. is recognized by sport writers as one of New England's standard clubs and all managers are glad of the opportunity

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to bring their boys to Portsmouth to perform under the auspices of the I. A. C.

The Christmas night wrestling carnival which has become an annual fixture in Mechanics Building, Boston, will be bigger than ever, according to George Tushley, who promotes the matches. Joe Stueker, Wladik Zhyzsko and Jim London, the remarkable Greek heavyweight are on the card.

Bill Dow expects to announce in a few days the wrestling card for the show which is down in the books for Monday evening, Jan. 12th.

Rochester and the Lake City Five of Lacosta will play at Rochester on Thursday night. Lacosta has a fast team and recently trimmed the Granite State A. A. boys with ease. Lacosta will line up with Swinglehurst, Blood, Dalton, Hathwell and Watson, with Joyce, a rangy young chap as substitute. Rochester will have Doc Bell and Phil Hawley in the forward positions. Hilda will be at center. Gallagher will look after one of the backs and Neta Krawitz of the Shawmut of Boston will be on hand in case that Flynn will be unable to play owing to injuries.

A hitch has arisen in the proposed Boston match between Ketones and Klondike, a point raised by the Greek who does not like the idea of Paddy Hehr acting as referee. Klondike points out that Hehr and Ketones both come from Worcester and that should there be the slightest error of judgment by the referee it would lay him open to the charge of favoritism.

It is likely that the long talked of basketball game between Dover and Rochester will take place at the Dover Armory on January 9. The managers of these teams have been handling each other the "bull" for some time and it is hoped that the question of superiority will be settled once and for all.

It is understood that Bill Dryden, the local wrestler, is planning a comeback and some of his friends say he will shortly take a trip over the wrestling circuit, meeting all comers. If Bill gets in his old time condition there is no question as to his holding his own with the best men in his class.

Boxing sports are still talking about the battle between Sallor Warren of the Huntington and Art Williams of Brockton, Mass., held at Freeman's hall last Monday evening. While the underdog Williams by at least thirty pounds, he deserves much credit as Williams makes boxing his business and is regarded as one of the best men of his weight in New England. Williams, because of his fine showing against his heavier opponent will be looked here again against a man of his own poundage and all the fans who saw Art in action against Warren will be pulling for him to win. Warren will also appear again and the club promoter will endeavor to match him with a well known New England middleweight.

John Klondike has turned wrestling promoter and has selected as his field of operations, Haverhill, Mass.

BOWLING
FIREMEN'S LEAGUE
In the Firemen's league at Hogan alleys on Tuesday the Col. Sise team defeated the Moses H. Goodrich team. Amazeen was high man with 269.

The score:

Moses Goodrich No. 4					
Olney	62	78	86	22	
Christabson	72	61	67	201	
Odell	60	71	73	204	
Lane	57	77	69	203	
Shufelbarger	69	68	83	221	
	329	355	378	1053	
Col. Sise No. 2					
Morrell	68	76	78	22	
H. Hersey	73	72	81	226	
Cox	79	89	80	248	
Amazeen	97	75	97	269	
Splinter	86	83	80	249	
	493	395	416	1214	

ZBYSZKO FAILS TO THROW JIM LONDOS

Manchester, N. H., Dec. 23.—Nearly 2000 people packed the Academy last evening to watch Greek Jim London and the mighty Pole Zbyszko engage themselves in a 75-minute combination foot race and grappling event. The score resulted in Zbyszko disappearing in a single fall in the time allotted to turn the trick twice. To these who came to see the huge Pole throw the Greek through the roof or something of that sort got a sad disappointment. Zbyszko was hoisted time after time as he dragged his mountainous carcass of 245 pounds about the ring at a snail pace and failed to get a telling hold on the elusive 185 pound Greek star.

Donald D. Lane, a freshman in the Wharton school at the University of Pennsylvania has found a ticket for Chicago on the Pennsylvania limited, which he bought, entitles him to a seat in the special car engaged for the girls of the Oregon school at Rydel. The car, therefore, will contain 21 girls and one Penn. freshman.

NAVY YARD BOAT SHOP XMAS CHEER

The men of the Boat Shop at the Navy Yard made some families happy for Christmas by a donation of \$25. to the Organized Charities. Miss Amy Sheldon the general secretary in acknowledging the gift said it would be used for Christmas cheer to the poor. The gift was transmitted to the Organized Charities thru Captain L. S. Adams, Industrial Manager. His letter: December 19, 1919.

Clyde Margeson, Treas., Associated Charities, Portsmouth, N. H.
Dear Sir:
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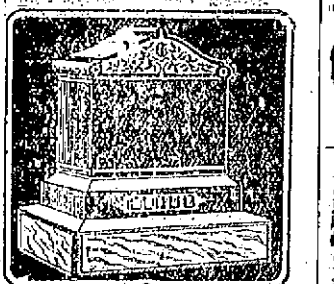
Very truly yours,
L. S. ADAMS,
Captain, U. S. N.
Industrial Manager.
December 22, 1919

Capt. L. S. Adams, Industrial Manager, Navy Yard, Portsmouth, N. H.

My Dear Capt. Adams:
On behalf of our Organization, I wish to extend to you my most hearty appreciation of your gift of \$25. from the Boat Shop of the Navy Yard. We are using this gift as a special Christmas fund for several of our needy cases. It will help bring cheer and comfort to a woman suffering from tuberculosis, to an aged shut-in, and to a widow with several small children.

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Captain Farrar of the Salvation Army is exceptionally busy today arranging the donations and filling the baskets for Christmas dinners for the worthy poor of this city. In each basket will be a chicken, potatoes, squash, onions, peas or corn, a can of syrup, can of condensed milk, a loaf of bread, tea, and various other articles, also the Christmas number of "The War Cry," the Salvation Army publication.

The dinners sent out will be enough to feed nearly 800 persons. Where the family is large the articles in the basket are increased. The public has shown much interest in the charitable work of the Salvation Army and more change has been dropped into the helter in the last few days. Several well-

known citizens have given checks for a neat sum to aid in this work and \$25 from the men of the boat shop at the navy yard was also gratefully received.

The Salvation Army is to have two Christmas trees on Christmas night, one for children who otherwise would receive few, if any gifts. Local people have donated toys and candy for this project. Among the gifts was about 76 pounds of candy from Mr. Sweet and two ten pound boxes from Andrew Jarvis and this certainly will help to make Christmas merry for the little folks.

CHRISTMAS TREE BY METHODIST SOCIETY

On Thursday evening at 7 o'clock an old fashioned Christmas tree and exercises at the Methodist church. All affiliated with the church are invited to come and every child will want to be there. Last year the church had a white Christmas and considerable money was raised for the church debt. This year there is no debt and as this church has more than gone over its centenary quota for missionary effort and world reconstruction the old fashioned Christmas tree and exercises are planned. The children furnish a good program and all the people of the church are invited to help to make it a happy, helpful occasion.

CHRISTMAS BASKETS BRING HOLIDAY CHEER

Seven baskets of the finest of fruit, oranges, grapes, bananas, grapefruit, etc., as well as nuts and raisins were placed by War Camp Community workers in fifteen large baskets for the hospitals at the navy yard and at Fort Constitution. In the green baskets, each with a large red bow and sprig of evergreen, this made a most attractive offering which is highly appreciated by the boys. The donors are the following: Miss Frances Brooks, Mrs. Eugene Daniels, Dr. Julia Chase and Mrs. Alfred Gooding of Portsmouth, and Mrs. M. E. Hurland, Mrs. Charles P. Robak, Mrs. Joseph Boylston, Mrs. E. D. Rand, Mrs. G. L. Hanson, Mrs. C. H. Aranzon, Mrs. Henry Becker, Mrs. Frank Dearborn, Mrs. H. P. Yeaton, Mrs. Elmer Eaton, Mrs. John Smith, Miss Jennie Britton, Miss Florence Annable, Miss Marion Tarleton, and Miss Gertrude Robinson all of New Castle.

These gifts will bring much Christmas cheer to men in the service who are ill or convalescing and also to those who are away from their homes on Christmas day.

CHRISTMAS TREE FOR DRIVERS AND HORSES

While the Tree of Light is still standing on Market Square it will see a new kind of service. On Saturday morning from 10 to 12 o'clock all drivers are invited to come to the tree where Boy Scouts will serve hot coffee to the men and apples, carrots or other good horse eats to the teams. The War Camp Community Service will furnish the coffee, while all Boy Scouts and other Boys' Clubs are asked to help in collecting treats for the horses. This is a novel idea, but has been tried out in Boston at the holiday season for several years with much success.

METHODIST NOTES

The Methodist Society will have its annual Christmas celebration on Christmas evening at seven o'clock. It will be a real old fashioned Christmas tree with exercises by children of the Sunday school.

At the Friday evening meeting the topic will be, "The Christmas Christ and Peace." On Sunday the Christmas services will be continued.

LOCAL DASHES

Spongy, sickening weather.

Toys, Toys, Toys, at Pearson's.

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KEPT THE MARRIAGE SECRET SINCE JULY 4

A war romance ending in marriage on July 4 last in this city of Charlotte A. Hgott of West Somerville and Arthur M. Perkins of Newfields, came to light on Tuesday when the bride announced it to her friends. The couple are now living in East Boston, Mass.

COMMUNITY TREE AN ATTRACTION

The Tree of Light on Market Square was set up this noon and at seven this evening the citizens of Portsmouth and vicinity are asked to gather around the tree and sing Christmas carols for a quarter of an hour or longer. The tree will be brilliantly lighted and attract much attention.

TURKEY FREE!!

A Shooting Contest will be held at the Scout Shooting Gallery, 43 Daniel St., City, the winners of which will be presented with a 10-lb. Turkey. The contest will be Wednesday afternoon and evening, Dec. 24th beginning at 2:30 p. m. and closing at 10:30 p. m., providing all have shot who have entered contest previous to that time.

SOLD MANY SEALS

At the Christmas seal booth in the vestibule of the local postoffice 3200 seals were sold on Tuesday. The money obtained from the seals is used to fight the White Plague in New Hampshire.

CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL

The Christmas festival of the North Church Sunday School will be held on Friday evening at 6:30 o'clock in the North Chapel.

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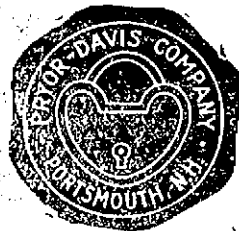
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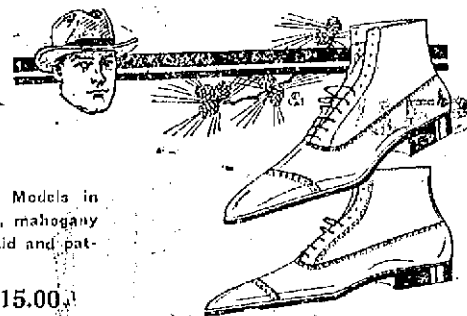
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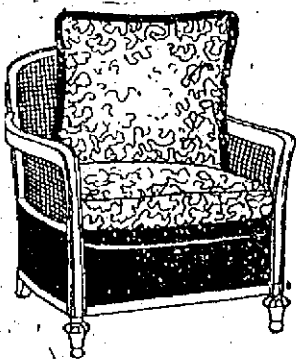
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to the young man with money in the bank. He can enjoy the holiday without worry as to the future. Those who spend all and save none will never have anything. Christmas to them must be a hollow mockery. If you have not yet commenced to save why not do so now. Make yourself a present of a bank book even if you have but one dollar to deposit. It will be as fine a gift as you will receive.

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